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HOUSE JOINT MEMORIAL 92

43RD LEGISLATURE - STATE OF NEW MEXICO - FIRST SESSION, 1997

INTRODUCED BY

JAMES G. TAYLOR

A JOINT MEMORIAL

REQUESTING THE NEW MEXICO LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL TO PARTICIPATE IN
THE NATIONAL CONFERENCE OF STATE LEGISLATURES' PROJECT CITIZEN.

WHEREAS, the national conference of state legislatures and
the center for civic education co-sponsor project citizen, a
project helping teach middle school students how to identify and
deal with public policy problems in their communities; and

WHEREAS, project citizen shows students how to gather
information, conduct interviews, develop action plans and
encourage elected officials to adopt proposed solutions; and

WHEREAS, participating students have addressed a wide range
of issues, including gang prevention, graffiti, school
overcrowding, censorship and dress codes; and

WHEREAS, schools in eleven states participated in project
citizen last year; and

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WHEREAS, negative public attitudes toward legislatures and government in general can be positively responded to by support for education of and involvement by young people in their government;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO that the New Mexico legislative council participate with the national conference of state legislatures and the center for civic education in project citizen; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that copies of this memorial be transmitted to the co-chairmen of the New Mexico legislative council.

State of New Mexico House of Representatives

FORTY-THIRD LEGISLATURE
FIRST SESSION, 1997

March 18, 1997

Mr. Speaker:

Your GOVERNMENT AND URBAN AFFAIRS COMMITTEE, to
whom has been referred

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has had it under consideration and reports same with
recommendation that it DO PASS.

Respectfully submitted,

Lynda M. Lovejoy, Chairwoman

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The roll call vote was 6 For 0 Against

Yes: 6

Excused: Pederson, Taylor, JG

Absent: None

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FIRST SESSION, 1997

March 21, 1997

Mr. President:

Your PUBLIC AFFAIRS COMMITTEE, to whom has been referred

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has had it under consideration and reports same with recommendation that it DO PASS.

Respectfully submitted,

Shannon Robinson, Chairman

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The roll call vote was 4 For 1 Against

Yes: 4

No: Vernon

Excused: Adair, Boitano, Ingle, Smith

Absent: None

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